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SUBJECT: AGRICULTURAL OFFER OF THE EC

1. FOLLOWING IS AN INFORMAL DELEGATION TRANSLATION OF
THE TEXT OF THE INTRODUCTORY PART OF THE EC OFFER CON-
CERNING AGRICULTURE. BEGIN TEXT:

2. OFFER OF THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY IN THE
AGRICULTURAL SECTOR.

WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE OFFER/REQUEST PROCEDURE,
AGREED UPON BY GROUP AGRICULTURE (MTN/AG/7), THE COMMUNI-
TY IN RESPONSE TO THE REQUEST LISTS ADDRESSED TO IT BY
CERTAIN NEGOTIATING PARTIES FOR PRODUCTS IN THE AGRICUL-
TURAL SECTOR WHICH ARE PRESENTLY NOT COVERED BY THE WORK
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OF THE THREE SUBGROUPS, GRAINS, MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS,
SUBMITS THE OFFERS CONTAINED IN THE ANNEXED LIST.

WITH REGARD TO PRODUCTS WHICH AT PRESENT ARE WITHIN
THE FIELD OF APPLICATION OF THE WORK OF THE THREE SUB-
GROUPS, THE COMMUNITY, AS IT HAS ALREADY INDICATED IN
THE COURSE OF THE WORK OF GROUP AGRICULTURE, DOES NOT

INTEND TO MAKE OFFERS THROUGH SAID OFFER/REQUEST PROCEDURE. THE COMMUNITY RECALLS THAT THE PROPOSALS MADE WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE THREE SUBGROUPS FOR NEGOTIATING WITH REGARD TO THE PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO THEM REPRESENT AN OFFER ON ITS PART AND THUS A RESPONSE TO REQUESTS WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED TO THE COMMUNITY BY CERTAIN NEGOTIATING PARTIES WITH REGARD TO THESE PRODUCTS.

MOREOVER, THE COMMUNITY NOTES THAT THE LISTS OF REQUESTS WHICH HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED TO IT BY CERTAIN NEGOTIATING PARTIES INCLUDE REQUESTS OF A GENERAL NATURE AS REGARDS PROBLEMS RELATED TO SANITARY AND PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES AND PROBLEMS CONCERNING STANDARDS. THE COMMUNITY BELIEVES THAT IT IS INCUMBENT UPON GROUP AGRICULTURE, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF ITS MANDATE, TO SEEK EVENTUALLY APPROPRIATE RESPONSES TO THESE REQUESTS.

THE COMMUNITY NOTES ALSO THAT CERTAIN REQUEST LISTS INCLUDE REQUESTS CONCERNING EXPORT RESTITUTIONS. THE COMMUNITY RECALLS IN THIS RESPECT THAT ITS ATTITUDE IN THIS MATTER IS IN FULL RESPECT OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL AGREEMENT.

ON THE OTHER HAND, THE COMMUNITY DESIRES THAT REAL PROGRESS BE MADE IN THE NEGOTIATIONS CONCERNING THE PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO THE THREE SUBGROUPS. INDEED, IT IS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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APPROPRIATE THAT THE DIFFERENT FIELDS OF AGRICULTURAL NEGOTIATIONS BE THE OBJECT OF A PARALLEL DEVELOPMENT.

FINALLY, THE COMMUNITY RECALLS THE OFFER WHICH IT HAS ALREADY SUBMITTED AND IMPLEMENTED ON JANUARY 1, 1977, WITHOUT A REQUEST FOR RECIPROCITY AT THIS STAGE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE PROCEDURE APPLIED WITHIN THE GROUP TROPICAL PRODUCTS. END TEXT.

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